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18 March 1970

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Coordination on the Stereocomparator Program

1. A meeting of the Stereocomparator Coordinating Group was held in the 5S-453 Conference Room at 1000 on 16 March 1970. In attendance were representatives from: TSSG/RED, TSSG/APSD, PSG/AID, IEG/PHD, PPBS, and TSSG/ESD.

2. The following items were discussed at the meeting:

a. 81% of the work on this program is complete and 80% of the funds have been expended or committed.

b. The TCO has made arrangements for Security to check out the new vault at the [] plant. If this is acceptable for handling code word material, we hope to use operational imagery in the pre-acceptance tests.

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c. Arrangements have been made to get the optics through Customs.

d. All transportation charges for the instrument have been taken care of in the contract.

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e. [] Project Manager, and a technician left [] on 16 March 1970. They will work up a test plan and procedures with [] to use in acceptance tests on the optical system.

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f. [] will start acceptance tests on the optical system at [] on 23 March 1970. If everything goes along fine, the tests should be completed in 3 weeks or by 10 April 1970. It is expected that packaging the optics for shipment will take about 1½ weeks and the shipment will leave []

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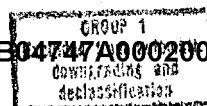
g. Based on the above information, the earliest we could start pre-acceptance tests on the instrument [] would be 15 June 1970. This assumes that [] no major difficulties in the final assembly of the instrument.

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h. [] still does not have the test plan complete and ready for review by NPIC. They will attempt to get it into NPIC by the end of April. They expect to incorporate the optical test worked out [] and the correlation test worked out [] This will give us about 60 days to review the test plan instead of the originally requested 90 days.

i. [] representatives visited [] on 9 and 10 March to work out an agreement on the test plan for the correlation system. Both parties came to an agreement on the procedure and the acceptance tests will take place [] within the next 30 days.

j. The staff study and approval package for a change-in-scope to this contract, in order to add an extra 16K core memory to the [] Computer, has been completed and is in PPBS.

k. On the job training at the [] plant--it looks like the maintenance trainee should spend about two weeks [] during the assembly of the instrument [] This probably will be in mid-May. The programmer from IEG/PHD should probably spend four weeks [] during the program checkout. Firmer dates will be provided [] in April 1970.

Distribution:

Original - Route & File

- 2 - IEG/PHD
- 3 - TSSG/ESD
- 1 - TSSG/APS
- 2 - PSG/AID
- 1 - PPBS []
- 1 - TSSG/SSD
- 1 - TSSG/RED
- 1 - File

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